



## **BEARFACTS 1994 – 2004**

### **West Feliciana , Louisiana [22125]**

West Feliciana is one of 64 counties in Louisiana. It is part of the [Baton Rouge, LA \(MSA\)](#). Its 2004 population of 14,978 ranked 54th in the state.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2004 West Feliciana had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$18,533. This PCPI ranked 61st in the state and was 68 percent of the state average, \$27,262, and 56 percent of the national average, \$33,157. The 2004 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.9 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.4 percent and the national change was 5.2 percent. In 1994 the PCPI of West Feliciana was \$12,518 and ranked 63rd in the state. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.0 percent and for the nation was 4.1 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2004 West Feliciana had a total personal income (TPI) of \$277,586\*. This TPI ranked 55th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1994 the TPI of West Feliciana was \$164,035\* and ranked 57th in the state. The 2004 TPI reflected an increase of 5.2 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.7 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 5.2 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of West Feliciana. In 2004 net earnings accounted for 71.1 percent of TPI (compared with 64.5 in 1994); dividends, interest, and rent were 11.7 percent (compared with 15.3 in 1994); and personal current transfer receipts were 17.2 percent (compared with 20.1 in 1994). From 2003 to 2004 net earnings increased 4.3 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 4.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 9.5 percent. From 1994 to 2004 net earnings increased on average 6.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 3.7 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in West Feliciana increased from \$305,849\* in 2003 to \$317,013\* in 2004, an increase of 3.7 percent. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.5 percent and the national change was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1994 estimate of \$260,318\* to the 2004 estimate was 2.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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